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November 25, 2019

Samuel Sinyangwe MuckRock News DEPT MR 80381 411A Highland Ave Somerville, MA 02144-2516

Dear Mr. Sinyangwe,

By letter dated November 4, 2019, you have requested copies of certain documents pursuant to the Maryland Public Information Act (hereinafter, "PIA"), Md. Ann. Code, State Govt. Art., GP § 4-101 through § 4-601 et seq.

- Total number of use of force incidents \*for each force type\* presented separately for 2016, 2017 and 2018

I have enclosed a table of the use of force by year and type. If you have any questions please feel free to call me at 301-600-6078 between the hours of 8:00 am -4:00 pm Monday through Friday.

Sincerely,

Melissa Hoffman Records Supervisor

Frederick County Sheriff's Office

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Types of Force Used in 2016
Weaponless Force - 143
Less Lethal Force - 10

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Types of Force Used in 2017	
Weaponless Force - 109	
Less Lethal Force Tools - 5	
Lethal Force - 1	

## <u>2018</u>

Types of Force Used in 2017	
Weaponless Force - 72	
Less Lethal Force Tools- 16	
Lethal Force - 1	